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100940Z JUL 72. AVN, AVS/AVIA-A, DAMC. SHOOTDOWN OF U.S. AIRCRAFT.
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BETWEEN 0850Z AND 0856Z 10 JUL 72, ELEMENTS OF THE 365TH AIR DEFENSE DIVISION
(LOCATED, BAI THUONG AS OF JUL 71) INDICATED THEY HAD SHOT DOWN ONE AIRCRAFT ON
4 JUL 72. ALSO ON 5 JUL 72 ONE F-4 WAS SHOT DOWN AND THE TWO PILOTS WERE
KILLZD. ADDITIONALLY ON 5 JUL 72, THE NVN AIR FORCE SHOT DOWN TWO AIRCRAFT AND
THE PILOTS WERE CAPTURED ALIVE. COMMENTS, LOCATIONS FOR SHOOTDOWNS WERE NOT
REVEALED. XXHH 300 0049 NNNN

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